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FOLLOWING REPEAT CCGDFOURTEEN 050310Z MAY 78 SENT ACTION  
COMDT COGARD COMPACAREA COGARD NMFS WASHDC SECSTATE NMFS  
COUTHWEST REGION NMFS HONOLULU COGARD AIRSTA BARBARS PT  
RCC NAVSTA MIDWAY COMTHIRDFLT MAY 05.

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POSSIBLE FCMA VIOLATION JA STRL KOSHIN NR 21 HANCOCK SEAMOUNT  
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1. SITUATION

A. 042310Z COGARD C-130 CGNR 1349 OBSERVED SUBJ DIW IN POSIT  
29-47.3N 179-03.1E IN COMPANY WITH JA STRL RYUYO NR 2. SUBJ VSL  
IS UNPERMITTED FOR FCMA OPS.

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B. SUBJ VSL HAD TRAWL DOORS HANGING LOOSELY FROM THE STERN,  
FISH-FINDER PROBE WAS HANGING FROM BOOM OVER SIDE OF VSL, DECK  
FISH BINS COVERED BY CANVAS AND APPEARED FULL OF FISH. DECK  
APPEARED DRY.

C. UPON OVERFLIGHT BY C-130 SUBJ VSL FLED TO THE NW. CG1349  
ESTABLISHED HOT PURSUIT UPON DETERMINATION BY NMFS AGENT ONBOARD  
THAT PROBABLE VIOLATION EXISTED. SUBJ IGNORED VISUAL SIGNALS  
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D. AFTER FONEPATCH WITH CCGD14, CG-1349 DROPPED SMOKE POTS  
IN FRONT OF SUBJ AT WHICH TIME SUBJ HOVE TO IN POSIT 29-54.9N  
179.01.1E. CG 1349 THEN DROPPED MESSAGE BLOCKS TO SUBJ WHICH  
DIRECTED SUBJ TO PROCEED TO A POSIT 5 NM SOUTH OF MIDWAY  
HARBOR. AFTER APPARENTLY RECOVERING THE MESSAGE BLOCK SUBJ GOT  
U/W IN AN EASTERLY DIRECTION (TOWARDS MIDWAY),

2. FUTURE PLANS

A. CG 1342 TO PROCEED FROM BARBERS PT WITH CG BOARDING OFFICER  
TO RELIEVE CG 1349.

B. UPON SUBJS ARR MIDWAY ANTICIPATE JOINT CG/NMFS BOARDING  
TO DETERMINE CIRCUMSTANCES OF INCIDENT.

C. CONTINUE ATTEMPTS TO CONTACT US OBSERVER ONBOARD RYUYO NR2  
(NEG CONTACT TO DATE).  
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